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**HAND-CRAFTED  
CAST BRONZE  
TABLETS  
MARKERS  
PLAQUES  
SIGNS**



*Newman Brothers, Inc.*

60-670 W. FOURTH ST.

CINCINNATI, OHIO

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# *Beautify with Bronze*

**F**OR CENTURIES BACK, bronze has been the medium of which artistic memorials have been created to survive for generations to come. Why? Because, bronze the metal of the ancients — the metal of countless tomorrows — is everlasting and knows no wearing away. In fact, time but enhances its inherent beauty — bringing out the rich and mellow coloring of the bronze itself.

Ever since 1882 — we have specialized in the hand-crafting of finest cast bronze memorial tablets, nameplates, signs, letters, as well as memorial and architectural non-ferrous metal work of every description.

Only the finest of bronze is used in the casting of a Newman bronze tablet — bronze of a mix consisting of 85% copper, 5% zinc, 5% tin and 5% lead. This formula, has both by test and experience proved to be the best for obtaining a smooth casting — and is one that will defy the ravages of time and weather.

Every casting is carefully finished by precise hand-chasing and tooling. All letters are free from crude clinging appendages. The background bears no trace of sand pits or other casting defects.

In fact, a Newman bronze tablet is in every sense a cast bronze tablet reflecting the very best in quality and workmanship possible. Yet, hand in hand with quality and beauty — go moderate prices.

Our tablets may be had in either a golden brown statuary finish or in an antique green finish — the latter resembling the bronzes of old. However, unless otherwise specified, our tablets are always oxidized to a rich, mellow statuary bronze. The borders and letters will be lustrously polished to afford a striking contrast to the stippled, and deeper bronze background.

In this catalog we have pictured but a few of the many styles of tablets we are prepared to make. These designs, we feel, will offer you help in selecting a suitable style of tablet for your use.

Should you have in mind a design not illustrated, just make your needs known to us, and we shall be only too willing to design something special for you.

## **SUGGESTIONS FOR ORDERING**

1. When sending us the wording for your tablet, please be sure that it is typewritten or hand-printed — to avoid misinterpretation.
2. Be sure to give the exact size, and indicate which of the measurements is the width — and which is the height.
3. Also, specify what type material plate is to be affixed to, so we can furnish appropriate attachments.
4. Sketches or proof-rubbings of the set-up pattern furnished only upon request.

TERMS: All list prices are f. o. b. cars Cincinnati. Persons not well rated are requested to mail satisfactory credit references, or a deposit equivalent to one-third the total amount — unless your account can be guaranteed.

## **NEWMAN BROTHERS, INC.**

660-670 WEST FOURTH STREET

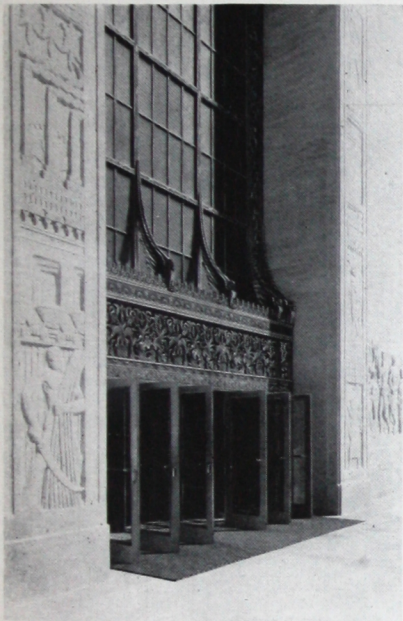
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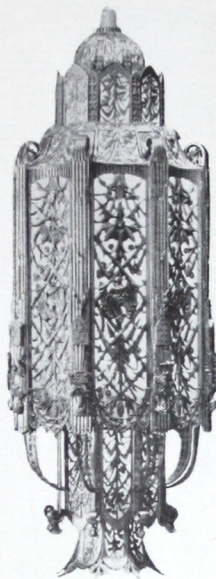
# ... Bronze by Newman ...

## FOR PERMANENCE AND EVERLASTING BEAUTY

A silent, yet impressive testimonial to the rare beauty and artistic workmanship of "Bronze by Newman" is the exquisitely crafted ornamental bronze work which adorns the renowned Louisiana State Capitol at Baton Rouge. The views below picture but a small portion of the \$250,000.00 bronze work furnished. Weiss, Dreyfous and Seiferth, New Orleans, architects; Geo. A. Fuller Co., Washington, D. C., General Contractors.



The main entrance to the Capitol is elaborately decorated with bronze, intricately designed and beautifully fashioned.



One of the many cast bronze lighting fixtures to illuminate the interior. This particular fixture weighs over two tons, and measures ten and a half feet from the top to bottom.



One of a pair of massive cast bronze paneled doors, opening into the House and Senate chambers.

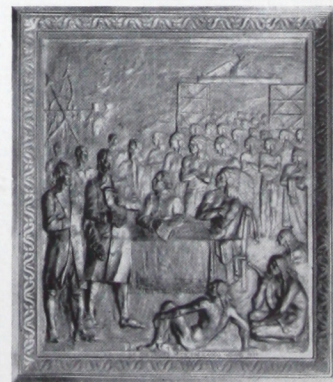
### Louisiana State Capitol Newman Bronze Within and Without



Each panel comprising both the Senate and House doors represents an important event in the history of Louisiana. The above plaque symbolizes the visit of LaSalle to the Kappas and Arkansas Indians in 1682.



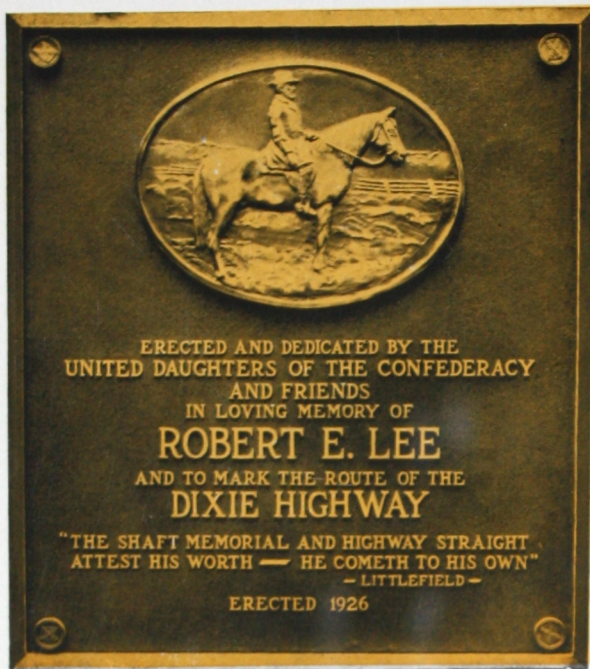
The above illustration portrays a ten foot, two inch circular cast bronze map of Louisiana, inlaid in the floor of the Capitol foyer.



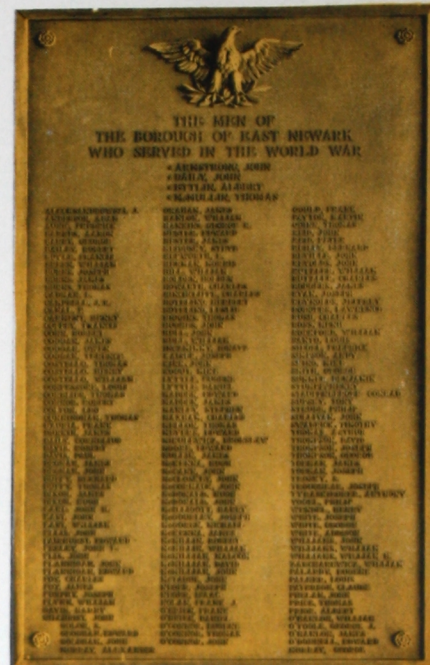
Another one of the historically significant cast bronze door panels. This one represents the signing of the treaty with the Caddo Indians, 1835.



# ... Memorial Tablets ...



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Design No. N-223



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Design No. N-225



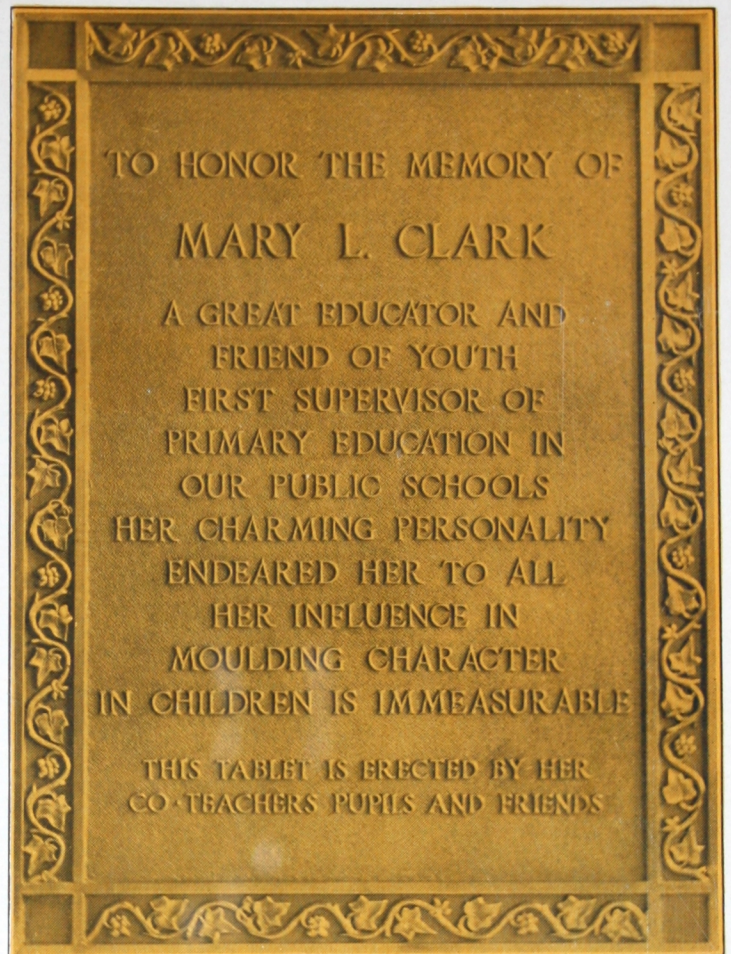
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# ... Memorial Tablets ...



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Design No. N-601



Design No. N-266



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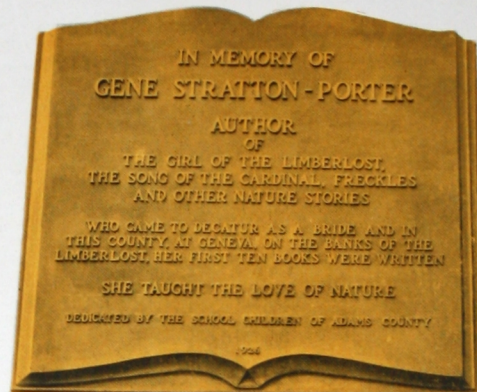
Names cast on separate plates which are affixed to background.



# ... Memorial Tablets ...



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Design No. N-602



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Design No. N-910



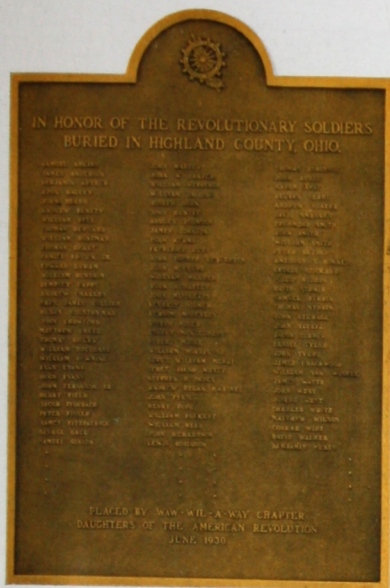
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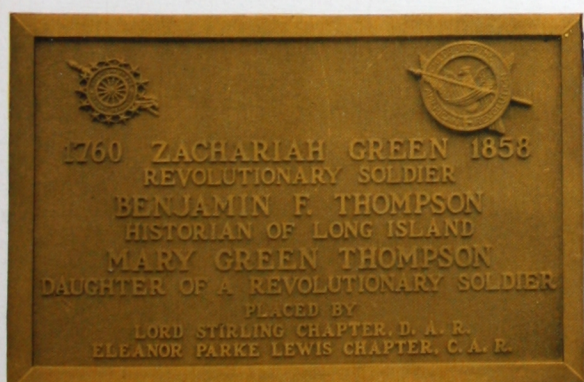
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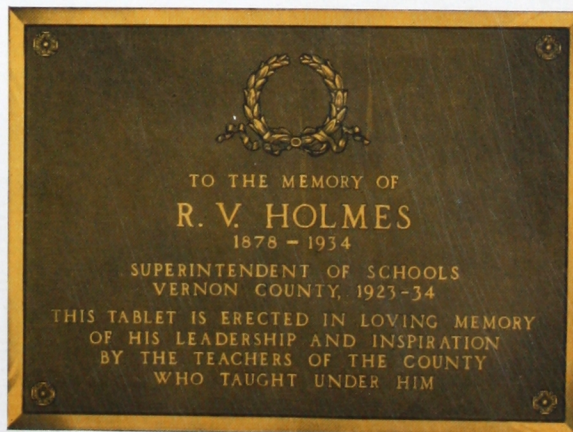
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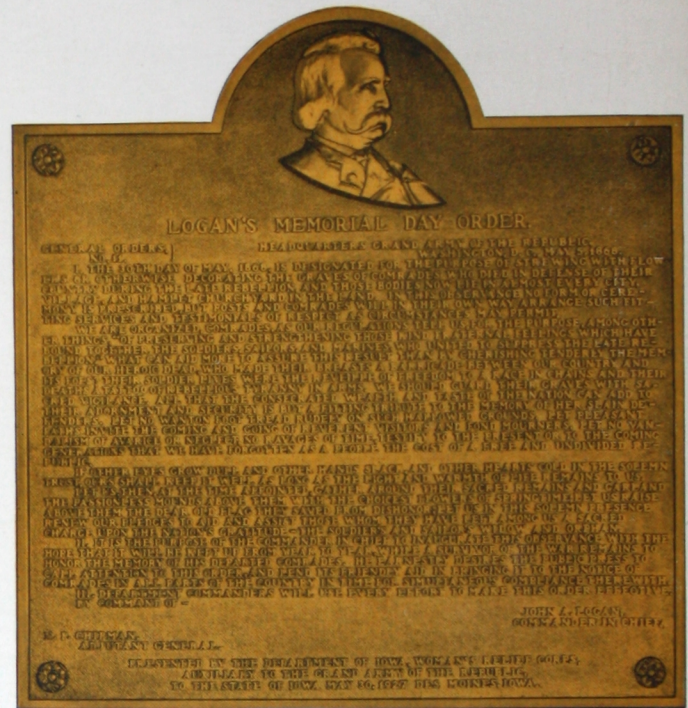


# ... Commemorative Plaques ...



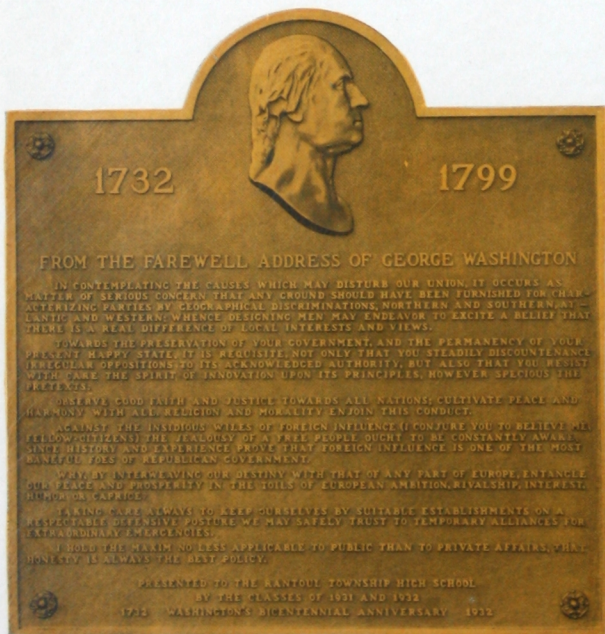
Design No. N-602

Lincoln's Gettysburg Address everlastingly inscribed in cast bronze. Obtainable in sizes 24" x 25" and 28" x 35½". Prices furnished upon request.



Design No. N-603

Logan's Memorial Day Order, a fitting companion piece to the Lincoln's Gettysburg Address tablet. Obtainable only in a size 24" x 25".



Design No. N-604

Washington's Farewell Address Plaque. Obtainable in a size 24" x 25". The attractive bas-relief is a replica of the Houdon study of General Washington.

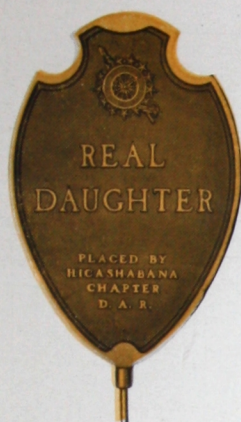


Design No. N-605

One of the many special types of commemorative plaques we are prepared to make.



# ... Emblems - Markers ...



Design No. N-265

The Official Real Daughter Marker. Size 8" x 12", complete with either stake or lugs. Price \$8.00 net f.o.b. Cincinnati, including title "Real Daughter" and name of chapter.



Design No. N-265-B

## THE OFFICIAL LAY MEMBER MARKER

This marker should be placed on the grave of every deceased member of the N. S. D. A. R. In so doing, you carry out the same principle as the wearing of the official insignia through life. This marker is now sent instead of flowers when a member passes on. Flowers are a perishable tribute, whereas a cast bronze marker is everlasting. Of solid cast bronze, beautifully finished, the marker measures 7 inches from star to star and 10½ inches from the top of the distaff to the bottom.

Complete with stake, or lugs, the marker is priced as follows:

One only ---- \$5.50 net, f.o.b. Cincinnati  
Two or more --- 5.22 ea., net, f.o.b. Cincinnati  
Six or more --- 4.95 ea., net, f.o.b. Cincinnati  
Twelve or more 4.40 ea., net, f.o.b. Cincinnati

If the additional nameplate is wanted, the extra charge is \$2.75, if just the name of the daughter is inscribed thereon. Or, if just the chapter placement inscription (as illustrated) is desired, the cost of the plate is \$3.50. If both the name of daughter and chapter placement inscription are wanted, the plate will then cost \$4.00 extra.



Design No. N-854



Design No. N-264

The Official Revolutionary Soldier Marker. Size 6" x 9", complete with stake or lugs. Price \$9.75 net f.o.b. Cincinnati. Price includes marker to bear title "Revolutionary Soldier," dates and name of chapter. Name of soldier \$2.00 extra.



Design No. N-609

Official Grave Marker for the Daughters of the American Colonists. This marker measures 5½" x 8", and comes complete with either a stake for driving into the ground, or lugs on the back for setting into stone. Price \$7.50 net f.o.b. Cincinnati.



Design No. N-607

Rotary Club Emblem of cast bronze or aluminum. Stock sizes 6", 12" and 18". We also manufacture emblems for other luncheon clubs—Kiwanis, Lions Club, Exchange, etc.



Design No. N-608

Official Grave Marker for the National Society of New England Women. Of solid cast bronze, 7" overall, it comes complete with a bronze stake, or lugs cast on the back. Price \$7.50 net f.o.b. Cincinnati.



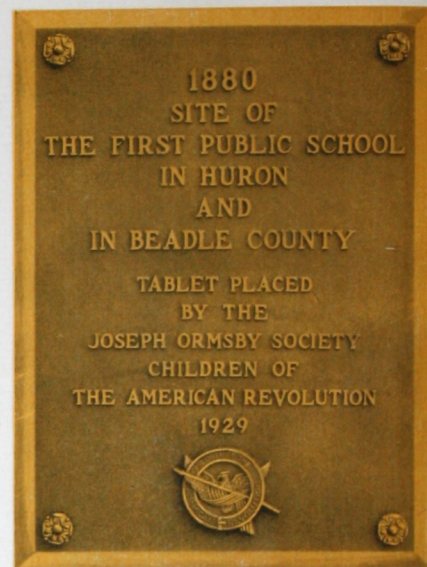
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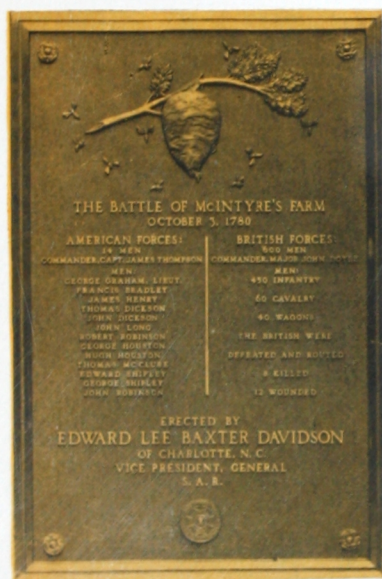
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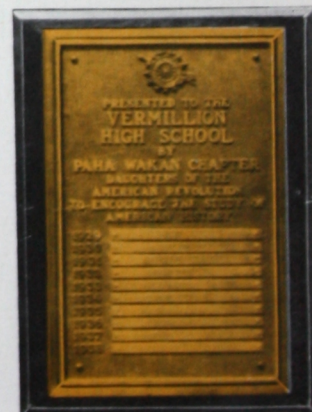
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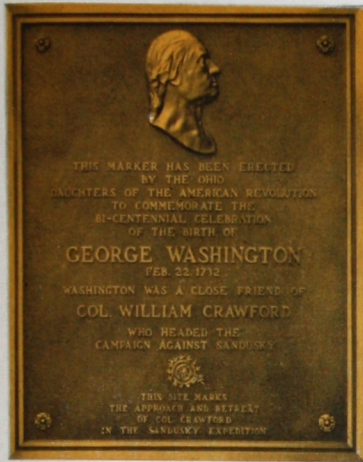
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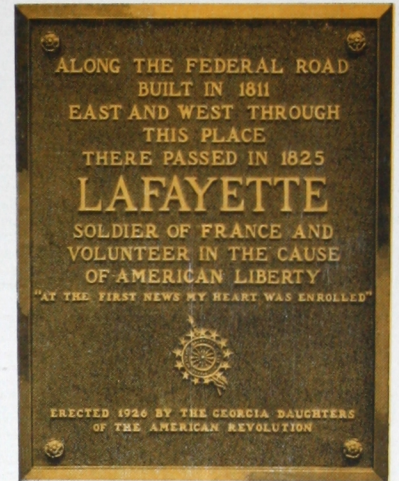


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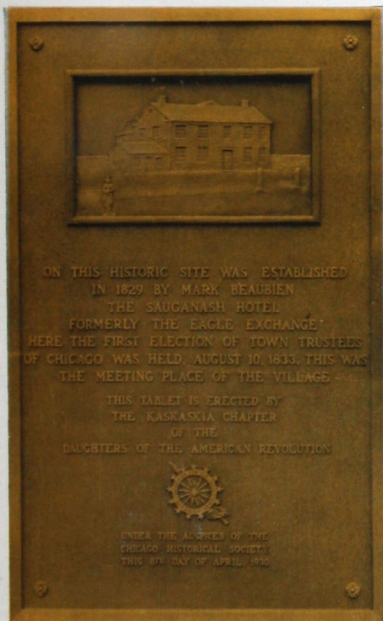


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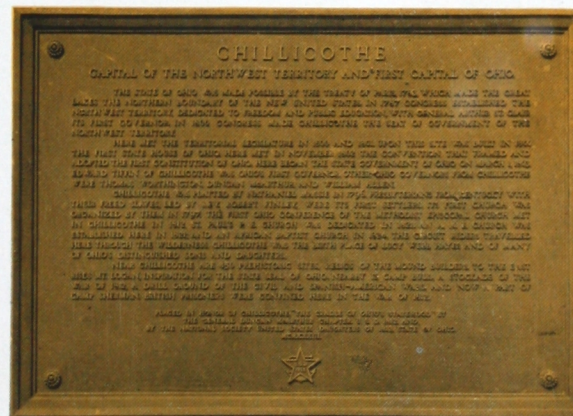
The above illustration portrays special bronze standards suitable for use on signs, highway and historic site markers. These sturdy supports are very practical, yet inexpensive.



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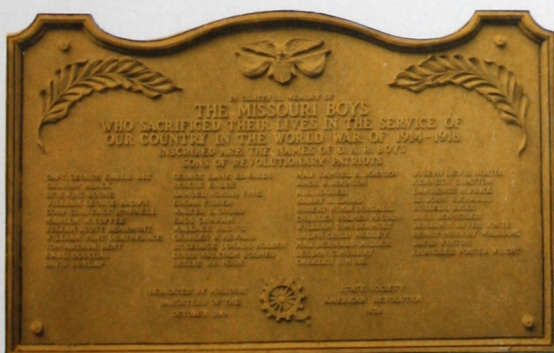
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Design No. N-821



Design No. N-233



# ... Everlasting Cast



Standard GARLAND Design



Standard CLASSIC Design



Standard LAUREL Design



Standard PERPETUAL Design



Standard WILDWOOD Design

- **STANDARD SIZES**—All of the designs illustrated come in the standard sizes of 10" x 22". We have stock patterns for three designs of infant's grave markers and 8" x 12", and a special Cherub style in a size 8" x 15".
- **DURABLE YET INEXPENSIVE**—Cast bronze grave markers are used in place of the most inexpensive grade of stone. Bronze is more durable, and will never weather.
- **MARKERS OBTAINABLE WITH OR WITHOUT VASE**—Any of the designs illustrated are one-piece castings, whether with or without vase. The vase, too, is cast in bronze.
- **MARKERS CAST OF FINEST BRONZE**—These markers are cast of everlasting bronze, consisting of 85% copper, 5% zinc, 5% tin and 5% lead. This mix has proven to be the best for obtaining a smooth casting and for weathering purposes, as well.
- **FINESSE OF WORKMANSHIP**—There is nothing of the "commercial" about our bronze tablets. Each bronze marker is precisely hand-finished throughout—all letters being carefully hand-chased and tooled so as to render every detail smooth and fine. These bronze markers are absolutely free from pits and scars.
- **CHOICE OF BACKGROUND FINISH**—Markers may be ordered in a plain sanded finish background or if preferred with a Morocco or leather-effect background. We recommend the latter type, for it gives a "hand-modeled" effect, and is most artistic. Markers may be had in a rich golden brown statuary color, or in antique green.



- When the cast bronze flower vase is not in use, it can be inverted so as to nest snugly into an underground bronze receptacle which is a part of the vase marker. The strong bronze chain prevents any possible theft of the vase. A slight turn of the vase to the right automatically locks it in place.



- **CAST VASE FEATURES**—The cast bronze flower vase not only serves its purpose but also acts as a slightly rusty container for flowers. It will litter up the cemetery with the stems of flowers, and the vase will accommodate stemmed flowers, and the vase will not come apart or break.



Standard TORCH Design



Standard



Standard ROSE Design



Standard



# Bronze Grave Markers . . .

—12" x 24". Several of the designs may be had in sizes 8" x 18", 8" x 24" and our Garland design in a size 8" x 12", our Classic design in sizes 4" x 12", 5" x 12"

monuments and headstones. These handsome bronze markers cost you less than crack or wear away. In fact, age but enhances its beauty.

trated may be ordered with or without the vase combination. All of our markers bronze, cast in one piece.

• **CHOICE OF LETTER STYLES**—Markers may be ordered with either flat face Roman design letters, or, with round face letters. All letters and ornamentations are beautifully polished to a lustrous satin finish to contrast with the background.

• **FRATERNAL EMBLEMS**—We will add the emblems of any nationally recognized fraternal organization to any of our markers, at no extra cost. By any "national organization" we mean such societies as the Masonic Order, American Legion, Elks, Knights of Columbus, Boy Scouts, etc.

• **OTHER IMPORTANT FEATURES**—These markers are designed to shed rain and prevent an accumulation of ground on their surface. The lawn mower can be run over the marker without any fear of its defacing the letters or ornaments. This saves time and expense of hand-trimming the grass around the edges of the marker. Markers come with 4 inch bronze lugs.



The bronze urn more does away with the un- ness jars and tin cans which his gracefully contoured ge-sized bouquet of long- s well as a smaller bunch eavy cast bronze and will en when the water freezes.



• This photo shows the cast bronze vase inverted and out of sight. With the vase in this position, the lawn mower can go right over the marker. The bottom of the vase is finished to match the marker and vase. The artistic rosette-knob on the bottom of the vase lifts it from its underground container.



LEAF Design



Standard IVY CORNER Design



OWER Design



Standard OAK LEAF Design



Standard WREATH Design



Standard HOLY CROSS Design



Standard PRAYER Design



Standard PALM Design



Standard CROWN Design



# ... Ecclesiastical Tablets ...



Design No. N-753



Design No. N-256A



Design No. N-237



Design No. 239



Design No. N-901

Memorial Yahrzeit tablet with space for names of deceased to be added from time to time.



# ... Ecclesiastical Tablets ...



Design No. N-904



Design No. N-771

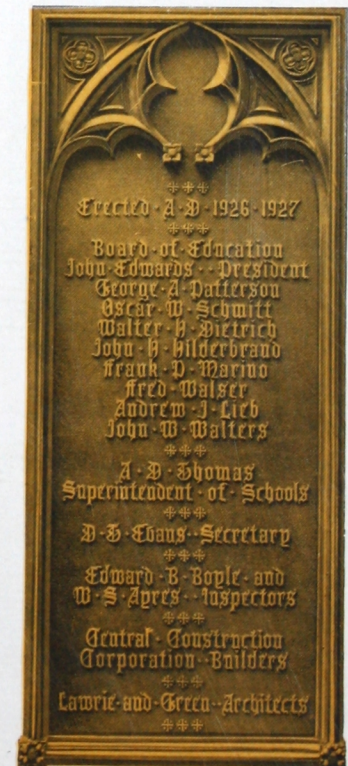
Cast or engraved name plates are added as needed to the above type of tablet.



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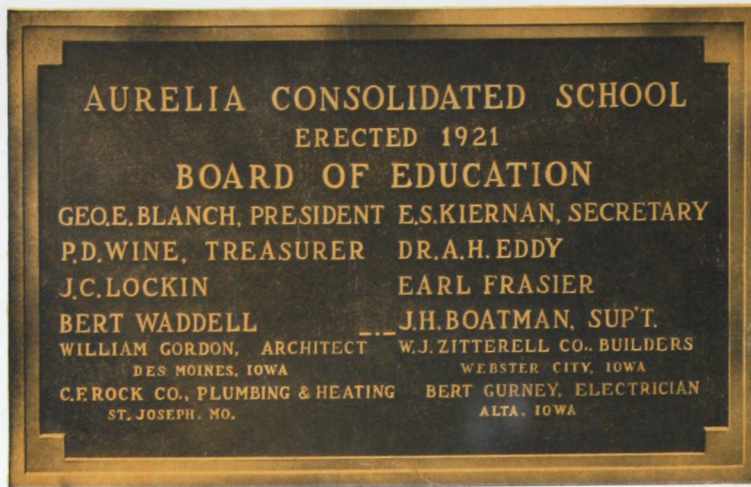
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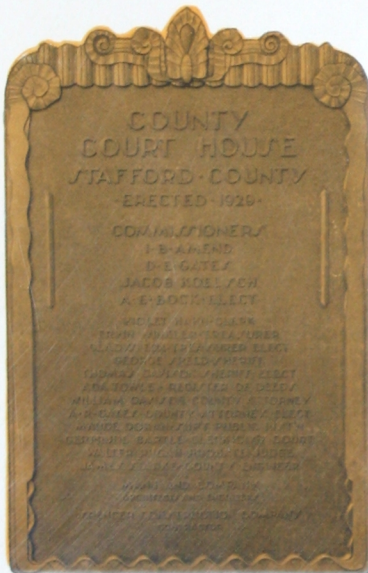
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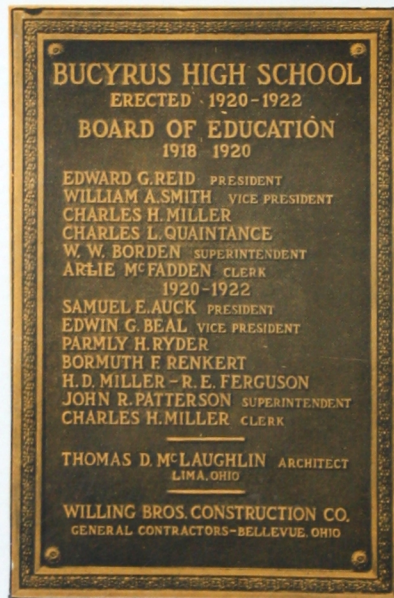
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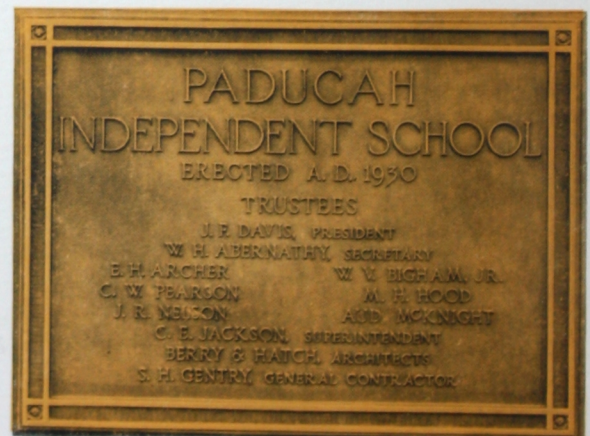
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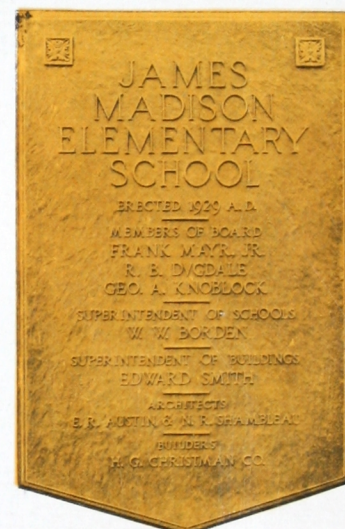
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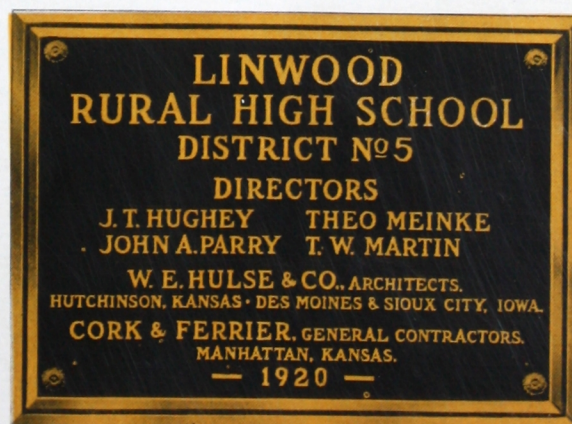
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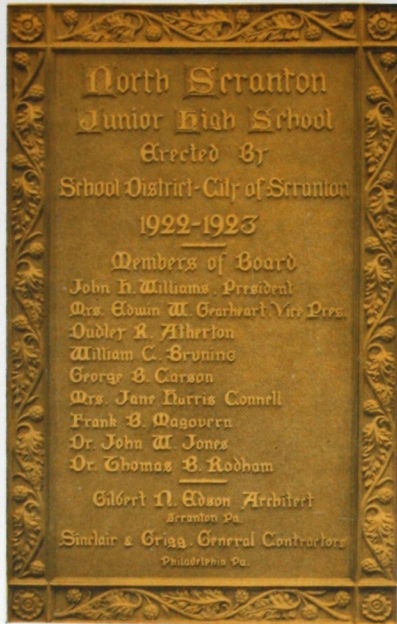
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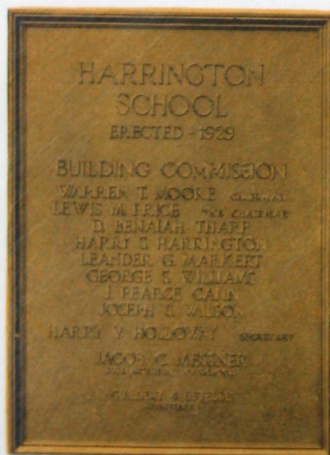
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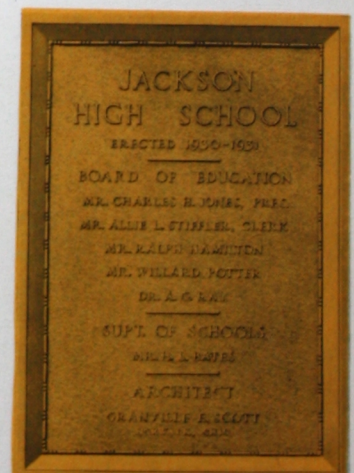
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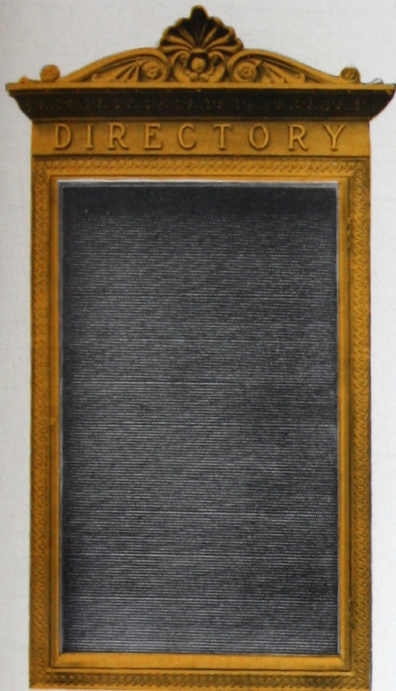
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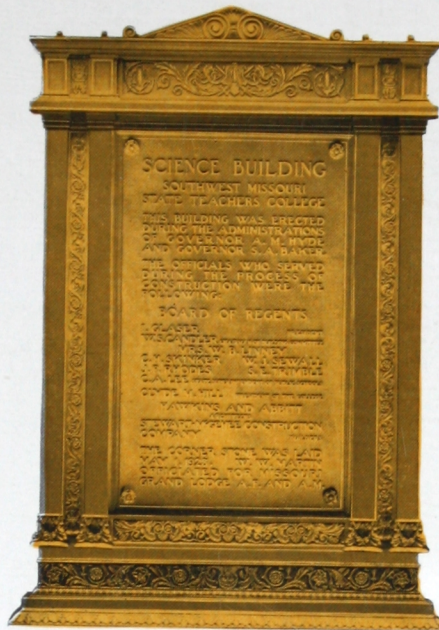


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Changeable Letter Directory. Catalog of other designs of bulletin boards and directories will be mailed upon request.



Design No. N-679



Design No. N-760



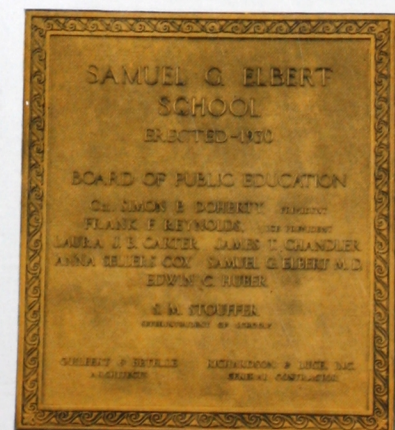
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Design No. N-683



# ... Commercial Signs ...



Design No. N-192A

Changeable type cast bronze directory sign. Nameplates may be added or removed as desired.



Design No. N-676



Design No. N-278

Cast bronze entrance directory. Names are cast on plates which in turn are screwed to the tablet back-ground.



Design No. N-915



Design No. N-677



Design No. N-916



Design No. N-146



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Design No. N-758



# ... Commercial Signs ...

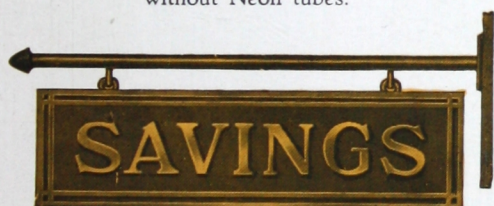


CAST BRONZE OR ALUMINUM LETTERS. The following prices are for standard styles for which we have stock patterns. Prices for special styles and sizes in any metal furnished on application.

(Price per upright inch)	Type D Flat Face	Type C Half-rd. Face	Type B V- Face	Type A Coved Face
Up to and including 6" inc.	\$.50	\$.60	\$.70	\$.70
Over 6" and up to 12" inc.	.60	.70	.80	.80
Over 12" and up to 18" inc.	.70	.80	.90	.90

Furnished with lugs or screws.

We also make large built-up type letters of sheet metal for building exteriors. These can be used with or without Neon tubes.



Design No. N-136



Design No. N-195—Figure A

NAMEPLATES AND EASEL SIGNS—Figure B is a back view of Figure A. Easel Signs come complete with rubber tips to prevent surface scratching. Both sign and easel are cast in one piece.



(Backview of Design No. N-195)  
Figure B



Design No. N-178



CAST BRONZE CARD FRAMES. Complete with a removable card and transparent celluloid front. These frames come with special wicket attachments for securing to grilles, or with easel backs.



Design No. N-780



Design No. N-203



Design No. N-204



Design No. N-304



... Beautify with Bronze ...



Design No. N-991



One of our many Standard  
Mausoleum Door Designs



Design No. N-992



Design No. N-906



Design No. N-684



Design No. N-993

Bronze Urn—18" high



Cast Bronze Statue of the Vestal Virgin, 6' high  
Vestal Hills Memorial Park, Binghamton, N. Y.



Design No. N-994  
Cast bronze flag pole base.



Special Care Marker

Any desired lettering. Size 4" x 7".  
Complete with stake.



Standard Rugged Design  
Raised type cast bronze grave marker.  
Size 12"x24" top measurement.



Cast Bronze Lot Marker  
Obtainable with numerals or letters.  
Sizes 3", 4", 5" and 6" square.



# ... Ornamental Metal Work ...

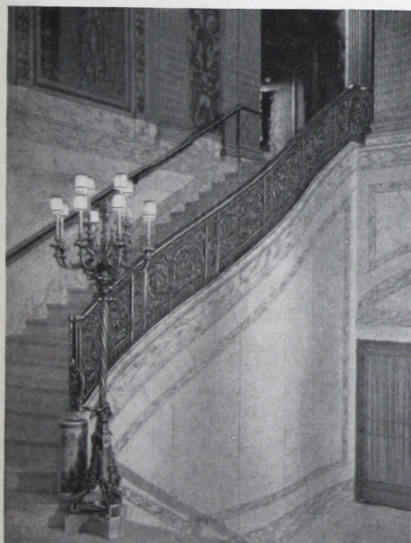
The illustrations below are but five of the many ornamental metal installations "By Newman." We have worked with the most prominent architects and contractors in the country, and our metal work is to be found adorning many of the most outstanding structures in the United States.



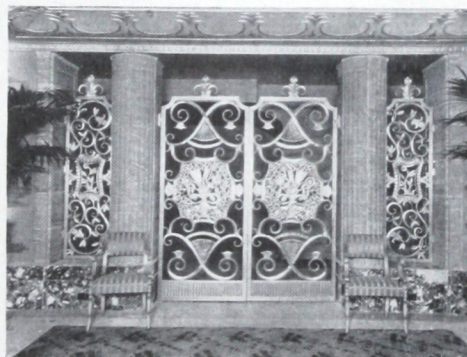
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Cincinnati, Ohio



Entrance Carew Tower  
Cincinnati, Ohio



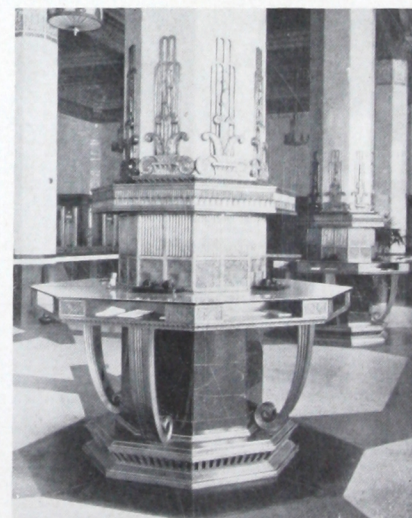
E. F. Albee Theatre  
Cincinnati, Ohio



An interesting study in symmetry  
Netherland Plaza Hotel  
Cincinnati, Ohio

The following represent but a few of our numerous ornamental metal installations. A more complete list will be furnished gladly upon request.

Willoughby Tower.....Chicago, Ill.  
State Capitol.....Lincoln, Nebr.  
R. E. Olds Bldg.....Lansing, Mich.  
I. J. Fox Store.....New York, N. Y.  
Warner Bros. Theatre.....Milwaukee, Wis.



Dallas Power and Light Co.  
Dallas, Texas

Dupont Bldg.....Wilmington, Del.  
Louisiana State Capitol.....Baton Rouge, La.  
U. S. Post Office.....Memphis, Tenn.  
Chicago City Bank & Trust.....Chicago, Ill.  
Municipal Bldg.....Denver, Colo.  
Roosevelt High School.....New York, N. Y.  
Willard Parker Hospital.....New York, N. Y.  
West Virginia State Capitol.....Charleston, W. Va.  
Ramsey McCormick Bldg.....Oklahoma City, Okla.  
Kansas City Power & Light Co.....Kansas City, Mo.

Red Cross Bldg.....Washington, D. C.  
Broad-Grace Arcade Bldg.....Richmond, Va.  
U. S. Post Office.....Oakland, Calif.  
Fintex Clothes Shop.....Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Vernor Store.....Buffalo, N. Y.  
Yount Stores.....Beaumont, Texas  
Pan-American Airport Bldg.....Miami, Fla.  
Myron Taylor Hall, Cornell University.....Ithaca, N. Y.  
Carew Tower.....Cincinnati, Ohio  
Netherland Plaza Hotel.....Cincinnati, Ohio



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Doors (Metal)	Signs
Entrances	Thresholds
Storefronts	Push Plates
Windows	Bar Fixtures
Elevator Doors	Flag Poles
Railings	Urns
Grilles	Directory Boards
Mausoleum Equipment	Nameplates
Theatre Fixtures	Grave Markers
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Frames	Special Light Fixtures
Letters	Swimming Pool Ladders

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